

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE
IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday the 24th September 1938.

Food Articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate		Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
Rice	Guntoor, per palla	100	246	12 8 0	to 13 8 0		7 to 7½ seers per rupee
	Mysore Kaddi, per palla.	100	246	11 8 0	to 12 0 0		8 to 8½ „
Ragi	Duyam (Black), per cart-load.	640	...	35 0 0	to 36 0 0	...	16 to 16½ „
	Superior (Red), per cart-load.	640	...	37 0 0	to 37 8 0	...	
Tur	Gulberga	...	...	...	...	...	7½ to 8½ „
Tur (Dal)	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 to 6½ „
Avare	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 to 9½ „
Avare (Dal)	...	...	...	...	...	...	6½ to 7½ „
Oils and Oil Seeds—							
Oils	Sweet oil	...	26½	4 6 0	to 8 14 0	...	Re. 0-2-0 } per seer
	Castor oil	...	23	3 12 0	to 8 14 0	...	„ 0-1-9 }
Oil seeds	Gingelly or til seeds, per candy.	255	...	30 0 0	to 34 0 0	...	
	Castor seed, per candy...	255	...	21 0 0	to 21 4 0	...	
Other Food Articles—							
Sugar	White Bura	...	25	3 5 0	to 3 6 0	...	Re. 0-6-6 } per viss
	Kolar Bura	...	25	3 8 0	to 3 4 0	...	to 0-7-0 }
Jaggery	Achu	...	23	2 8 0	to 2 14 0	...	Re. 0-5-6 } per viss
	Oonde	...	23	2 8 0	to 2 14 0	...	to 0-6-0 }
Ghee	Superior (Mandya)	...	26½	15 0 0		...	Rs. 2-0-0 per viss.
Salt	Bombay Salt (Black)	105	...	7 6 0		...	14 seers per rupee

BANGALORE,
Dated 26th September 1938. }

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MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE,

FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1938.

A total of 66 attacks with 39 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 83 attacks with 44 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore reported nil attack with one death and 4 attacks with 4 deaths respectively, while Kolar Gold Field Area reported one attack with nil death. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1937 and 1936 were 86 attacks with 45 deaths and 15 attacks with 4 deaths respectively.

A total of one attack with 2 deaths from Smallpox was reported from one village in each of Channapatna and Sringeri taluks.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 135 (36 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 33.1 (24.3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 29.4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered one under Plague, 6 under Typhoid, 5 under other Fevers, 8 under Phthisis, 23 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 92 under all other causes. The reported mortality was slightly high due to increase in deaths under Dysentery and Diarrhoea.

(During the week the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 95 deaths (16 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 34.0 (28.3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 23.0 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Malaria 2, Broncho-pneumonia 5, Pneumonia 10, Typhoid 6, other fevers 1, Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 12, and all other causes 58. The reported mortality was slightly high due to increase in deaths under Typhoid and Pneumonia.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 69 (14 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 28.9 (23.0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 20.4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Plague 4, Malaria 3, Typhoid 2, other fevers 2, Phthisis 9, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 4, and all other causes 45. The reported mortality was normal.

There were 50 deaths (9 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area, equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 31.2 (25.6 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 9.3 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered one under Malaria, one under Typhoid, 5 under other fevers, 3 under Phthisis, 9 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 31 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

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